Social Health Activist (ASHA) for every village to facilitate in accessing of healthcare services by the community including pregnant women; operationalizing Community Health Centers as First Referral Units (FRU) and 50% of all Primary Health Centres for providing 24X7 delivery services by 2010; augmenting the availability of Skilled Manpower by means of different skill based trainings such as Skilled Birth Attendant, Training of MBBS Doctors in Life Saving Anesthetic Skills and Emergency Obstetric Care including Caesarian Section; prevention and treatment of Anemia by supplementation with Iron and Folic Acid tablets; Organizing of Village Health and Nutrition Day at Anganwadi centre; supplementary nutrition to pregnant and lactating women under the ICDS scheme and strengthening of sub-centres by providing each with an untied fund of Rs. 10,000/- to improve service delivery.

Statement

State-wise Maternal Mortality Ratio in India

Major State	MMR (1997-98)	MMR (1999-01)	MMR (2001-03)
India Total*	398	327	301
Assam	568	398	490
Bihar/Jharkhand	531	400	371
Madhya Pradesh/Chhattisgarh	441	407	379
Orissa	346	424	358
Rajasthan	508	501	445
Uttar Pradesh/Uttaranchal	606	539	517
Andhra Pradesh	197	220	195
Karnataka	245	266	228
Kerala	150	149	110
Tamil Nadu	131	167	134
Gujarat	46	202	172
Haryana	136	176	162
Maharashtra	166	169	149
Punjab	280	177	178
West Bengal	303	218	194
Others	-	276	235

*: Includes Others

Janani Suraksha Yojana

2029. SHRI A. VIJAYARAGHAVAN: Will the Minister of HEALTH AND FAMILY WELFARE be pleased to state:

(a) whether the Janani Suraksha Yojana (JSY) covers all mothers below poverty line (BPL);

(b) if so, the details including number of mothers covered under JSY for the last three years, year-wise, State-wise and category-wise;

(c) whether there is any proposal to exclude mothers, who have more than two children, from JSY;

(d) if so, the reasons therefor; and

(e) whether steps will be taken to include all mothers under BPL families in the said scheme?

THE MINISTER OF HEALTH AND FAMILY WELFARE (DR. ANBUMANI RAMADOSS): (a) All women belonging to the Below Poverty Line are provided assistance under Janani Suraksha Yojana. However, for home delivery and for institutional delivery in High Performing States, the benefits are available to women who are 19 years of age of above and for first two live births.

(b) the enclosed Statement (*See* below) Refer.

(c) to (e) All BPL pregnant women who opt for home delivery and BPL pregnant women who opt for institutional delivery in High Performing States, are eligible for financial assistance under the Scheme for first two live births only.

At the time of the launching of the scheme, deliveries beyond first two live births at home and in health institutions in High Performing States, were kept out of the purview of the Scheme due to lack of adequate budgetary provision for the Scheme. The provision remains unchanged at present.

Statement

Total Number of Beneficiaries under Janani Suraksha Yojana (as reported by States/UTs)

Sl. No.	Name of the States/UTs	2005-06	2006-07	2007-08
1	2	3	4	5
	LPS			
1.	Assam	17523	193910	127000
2.	Bihar		50414	62034
3.	Chhattisgarh	25000	75452	45925
4.	J&K	9000	55486	10000
5.	Jharkhand		86000	65215
6.	Madhya Pr.	68252	401184	185808
7.	Orissa	41100	227204	241340
8.	Rajasthan	4905	563770	343681
9.	Uttar Pradesh	12000	169000	193498
10.	Uttarakhand	1360	40650	
	HPS			
11.	A&N Islands	314	882	120
12.	Andhra Pr.	167765	505135	193853

1	2	3	4	5
13.	Arunachal Pr.	1000	4885	1282
14.	Chandigarh	3000	3000	56
15.	D&N Haveli	146	484	34
16.	Daman & Diu			
17.	Delhi		491	492
18.	Goa	41	483	190
19.	Gujarat	12573	153381	26182
20.	Haryana	4207	23000	39140
21.	Himachal Pr.	1457	738	2212
22.	Karnataka	39000	215170	92000
23.	Kerala	18200	56000	31033
24.	Lakshadweep	200	42	245
25.	Maharashtra	20010	181251	133779
26.	Manipur		8000	1000
27.	Meghalaya	471	4257	1003
28.	Mizoram	5650	7187	4877
29.	Nagaland	NA	1352	4044
30.	Puducherry	414	2288	2000
31.	Punjab	11595	18779	3145
32.	Sikkim	1730	1714	923
33.	Tamil Nadu	112170	349255	105781
34.	Tripura	2247	7614	6792
35.	West Bengal	224863	171000	244205
	TOTAL :	803193	3579458	2168889

LPS-Low Performing States

HPS-High Performing States

Pharmaceutical Research Institute

2030. SHRI N.R. GOVINDARAJAR : Will the Minister of HEALTH AND FAMILY WELFARE be pleased to state:

(a) whether Government has proposal to establish research institutes for research on important life saving drugs and their manufacturing in the country; and

(b) if so, the details thereof alongwith names of the States where the institutes are likely to be established?

THE MINISTER OF HEALTH AND FAMILY WELFARE (DR. ANBUMANI RAMADOSS): (a) and (b) According to Indian Council of Medical Research (ICMR), recently